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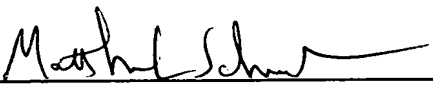
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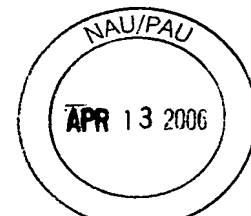
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ASSIGNMENT

(SOLE)

THIS ASSIGNMENT, by Ryuji YOKOTE, residing at

_____, Japan
(hereinafter referred to as "the Assignor"), respectively, witnesseth:

WHEREAS, the Assignor has invented certain new and useful improvements in
QUALITY INSPECTION METHOD AND QUALITY INSPECTION DEVICE set forth in an application
for Letters Patent of the United States, which is a

- (1) ☐ provisional application
 - (a) ☐ bearing Application No. _____, and filed on _____;
 - (b) ☐ to be filed herewith; or
- (2) ☒ non-provisional application
 - (a) ☒ bearing Application No. 10/531,253, and filed on April 13, 2005;
 - (b) ☐ having an oath or declaration executed on even date herewith prior to filing of application;
 - (c) ☐ having an oath or declaration executed on a different date than this Assignment; and

WHEREAS, TETRA LAVAL HOLDINGS & FINANCE S.A., a corporation duly organized under and pursuant to the laws of SWITZERLAND and having a principal place of business at 70 Avenue General-Guisan, CH-1009 Pully, Switzerland, (hereinafter referred to as "the Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to said inventions, the right to file applications on said inventions and the entire right, title and interest in and to any applications, including provisional applications for Letters Patent of the United States or other countries claiming priority to said application, and in and to any Letters Patent or Patents, United States or foreign, to be obtained therefor and thereon.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and sufficient consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the Assignor has sold, assigned, transferred, and set over, and by these presents do sell, assign, transfer, and set over, unto the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns the entire right, title, and interest in and to the above-mentioned inventions, the right to file applications on said inventions and the entire right, title and interest in and to any applications for Letters Patent of the United States or other countries claiming priority to said applications, and any and all Letters Patent or Patents of the United States of America and all foreign countries that may be granted therefor and thereon, and in and to any and all applications claiming priority to said applications, divisions, continuations, and continuations-in-part of said applications, and reissues and extensions of said Letters Patent or Patents, and all rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the same to be held and enjoyed by the Assignee, for its own use and behoof and the use and behoof of its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for which Letters Patent or Patents may be granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the Assignor had this sale and assignment not been made;

AND for the same consideration, the Assignor hereby covenants and agrees to and with the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, that, at the time of execution and delivery of these presents, the Assignor is the sole and lawful owner of the entire right, title, and interest in and to the inventions set forth in said applications and said applications, including provisional applications, above-mentioned, and that the same are unencumbered, and that the Assignor has good and full right and lawful authority to sell and convey the same in the manner herein set forth;

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AND the Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the attorneys of Burns, Doane, Swecker & Mathis, L.L.P. to insert in the spaces provided above the title of the invention, filing date, application number, and attorney's docket number of said application when known.

AND the Assignor hereby requests the Commissioner of Patents to issue any and all said Letters Patent of the United States to the Assignee as the Assignee of said invention, the Letters Patent to be issued for the sole use and behoof of the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns.

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